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1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application and certified priority document

STATUS

2. Applicant is other than a small entity.

EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 (fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1)-(4)) for three months:

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RESPONSE

(to Office Action of June 28, 2005)

Dear Sir:

Applicants submit this reply in response to the Office action of June 28, 2005 and ask that the following amendment be entered.

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